



## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroshi NAKANO Group Art Unit: 3653

Application No.: 10/664,899 Examiner: K. BOWER

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For: ROTARY CLUTCH DEVICE AND SHEET FEEDER USING THE SAME

## STATEMENT OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A telephonic interview was conducted on June 16, 2005 between Applicants' representative and Examiner Kenneth Bower of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

During the telephonic interview, Examiner Bower confirmed that the Election of Species Requirement is an error, it will only be necessary to respond to the Restriction Requirement by electing either Group I (claims 1-4 and 7-9) or Group II (claims 5 and 6).

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